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GROWTH OF CITIES IN THE UNITED STATES DURING THE DECADE 1880–90.*

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No more significant fact has been disclosed by the last census than the great increase which has taken place in the urban population of the country during the last decade. In 1890 the urban population constituted 29.20 per cent of the total population. Corresponding figures for the several censuses are given in the following table: —

Census Years.	Population of the United States.	Population of Cities.	Inhabitants of Cities in Each 100 of the Total Population.
1790	3,929,214	131,472	3.35
1800	5,308,483	210,873	3.97
1810	7,239,881	356,920	4.93
1820	9,633,822	475,135	4.93
1830	12,866,020	864,509	6.72
1840	17,069,453	1,453,994	8.52
1850	23,191,876	2,897,586	12.49
1860	31,443,321	5,072,256	16.13
1870	38,558,371	8,071,875	20.93
1880	50,155,783	11,318,547	22.57
1890	62,622,250	18,284,385	29.20

The increase, it will be noted, has been quite regular from 1790 to 1880, in which time the city denizens increased from 3.35 per cent of the total population to 22.57 per cent; but from 1880 to 1890 there has been a leap from 22.57 per cent to 29.20 per cent.

This remarkable increase has been associated in the minds of the general public with the growth of the great metropolises of the country. The present inquiry has been undertaken with a view to localizing this increase, and to ascertaining the relation which cities of various sizes bear to it. This has developed the fact, which it is hoped the accompanying diagrams will emphasize, that New York and Chicago, and others of their class, are not of such paramount importance in the growth of urban population as has been supposed.

In diagram No. I the cities have been divided into 19 classes, and the facts are shown in great detail. The maximum increase is found in cities of from 75,000 to 100,000 inhabitants, which have increased 91.25 per cent. The striking decrease in the rate of growth of cities of more than 100,000 inhabitants is worthy of note.

In diagram No. II the 19 classes of the preceding diagram have

* All the data for this article have been derived from Census Bulletin No 52.

been combined into six classes. Since each of these contains a larger number of cities, the percentages are less affected by accidental causes. It will be noted that here also cities of moderate size show the greatest growth. Those having a population ranging from 60,000 to 200,000 have increased 63.07 per cent; while those of more than 200,000 inhabitants show an increase of only 36.87 per cent.

As to the method employed the cities have been classified on the basis of the average of their population in 1880 and 1890. Thus, Toledo, with a population of 50,137 in 1880, and 81,434 in 1890, has been classed as a city of 65,786. Per cents, however, have been calculated upon the usual basis. An average population of 8000 has been taken as the lower limit. In grouping the cities it was desirable to have as many as possible in each class; but when this principle would necessitate the association of cities of considerable variation in size, it has been disregarded, and only those cities which would naturally fall in the same group, even though few in number, have been classed together. This applies especially to cities of 50,000 inhabitants or more. Among the smaller cities larger subdivisions with smaller increment have been possible.

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Class.	Classification.	Number in Group.	Population.		Increase.	
			1890.	1880.	Number.	Per Cent.
I	Cities over 600,000	4 Cities	4,468,458	3,123,317	1,345,141	43.06
II	" 300,000 to 600,000	3 "	1,334,686	1,045,670	289,016	27.63
III	" 200,000 to 300,000	5 "	1,324,000	1,037,946	286,054	27.56
IV	" 100,000 to 200,000	10 "	1,847,056	1,170,560	676,496	57.79
V	" 75,000 to 100,000	6 "	711,970	372,272	339,698	91.25
VI	" 60,000 to 75,000	12 "	987,465	631,964	355,501	56.25
VII	" 50,000 to 60,000	6 "	377,704	273,246	104,458	38.22
VIII	" 40,000 to 50,000	11 "	607,137	391,561	215,576	55.05
IX	" 30,000 to 40,000	23 "	967,082	615,557	351,525	57.11
X	" 25,000 to 30,000	16 "	531,884	354,181	177,703	50.17
XI	" 20,000 to 25,000	33 "	915,175	568,642	346,533	60.94
XII	" 17,000 to 20,000	32 "	702,048	475,336	226,712	47.69
XIII	" 14,000 to 17,000	32 "	622,580	351,931	270,649	76.90
XIV	" 13,000 to 14,000	21 "	339,831	226,982	112,849	49.71
XV	" 12,000 to 13,000	19 "	265,576	210,094	55,482	26.40
XVI	" 11,000 to 12,000	21 "	290,055	198,373	91,682	46.21
XVII	" 10,000 to 11,000	19 "	244,207	149,677	94,530	63.15
XVIII	" 9,000 to 10,000	44 "	485,250	357,875	127,375	35.59
XIX	" 8,000 to 9,000	39 "	403,325	261,474	141,851	54 25
Class A	Cities 200,000 and over	12 Cities	7,127,144	5,206,933	1,920,211	36.87
" B	" 60,000 to 200,000	28 "	3,546,491	2,174,796	1,371,695	63.07
" C	" 30,000 to 60,000	40 "	1,951,923	1,280,364	671,559	52.45
" D	" 17,000 to 30,000	81 "	2,149,107	1,398,159	750,948	53.72
" E	" 11,000 to 17,000	93 "	1,518,042	987,380	530 662	53.74
" F	" 8,000 to 11,000	102 "	1,132,782	769,026	363,756	47.30

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		1890.	1880.	Number.	Per Cent.
Class I.	New York, N. Y.	1,515,301	1,206,299	309,002	25.62
Cities over 600,000	Chicago, Ill.	1,099,850	503,185	596,665	118.58
	Philadelphia, Penn.	1,046,964	847,170	199,794	23.58
	Brooklyn, N. Y.	806,343	566,663	239,680	42.30
Class II.					
Cities 300,000 to 600,000	St. Louis, Mo.	451,770	350,518	101,252	28.89
	Boston, Mass.	448,477	362,839	85,638	23.60
	Baltimore, Md.	434,439	332,313	102,126	30.73
Class III.					
Cities 200,000 to 300,000	San Francisco, Cal.	298,997	233,959	65,038	27.80
	Cincinnati, O.	296,908	255,139	41,769	16.37
	Buffalo, N. Y.	255,664	155,134	100,530	64.80
	New Orleans, La.	242,039	216,090	25,949	12.01
	Washington, D. C.	230,392	177,624	52,768	29.71
Class IV.					
Cities 100,000 to 200,000	Cleveland, O.	261,353	160.146	101,207	63.20
	Pittsburg, Penn.	238,617	156,389	82,228	52.58
	Detroit, Mich.	205,876	116,340	89,536	76.96
	Milwaukee, Wis.	204,468	115,587	88,881	76.90
	Newark, N. J.	181,830	136,508	45,322	33.20
	Minneapolis, Minn.	164,738	46,887	117,851	251.35
	Jersey City, N. J.	163,003	120,722	42,281	35.02
	Louisville, Ky.	161,129	123,758	37,371	30.20
	Rochester, N. Y.	133,896	89,366	44,530	49.83
	Providence, R. I.	132,146	104,857	27,289	26.02
Class V.					
Cities 75,000 to 100,000	Omaha, Neb.	140,452	30,518	109,934	360.23
	St. Paul, Minn.	133,156	41,473	91,683	221.07
	Kansas City, Mo.	132,716	55,785	76,931	137.91
	Indianapolis, Ind.	105,436	75,056	30,380	40.48
	Allegheny, Penn.	105,287	78,682	26,605	33.81
	Albany, N. Y.	94,923	90,758	4,165	4.59
Class VI.					
Cities 60,000 to 75,000	Denver, Col.	106,713	35,629	71,084	199.51
	Columbus, O.	88,150	51,647	36,503	70.68
	Syracuse, N. Y.	88,143	51,792	36,351	70.19
	Worcester, Mass.	84,655	58,291	26,364	45.23
	Toledo, O.	81,434	50,137	31,297	62.42
	Richmond, Va.	81,388	63,600	17,788	27.97
	New Haven, Conn.	81,298	62,882	18,416	29.29
	Patterson, N. J.	78,347	51,031	27,316	53.53
	Lowell, Mass.	77,696	59,475	18,221	30 64
	Scranton, Penn.	75,215	45,850	29,365	64.05
	Fall River, Mass.	74,398	48,961	25,437	51.95
	Cambridge, Mass.	70,028	52,669	17,359	32.96
Class VII.					
Cities 50,000 to 60,000	Atlanta, Ga	65,533	37,409	28,124	75.18
	Charleston, S. C.	54.955	49,984	4,971	9.95
	Nashville, Tenn	76.168	43,350	32,818	75.70
	Reading, Penn.	58,661	43,278	15,383	35.54
	Troy, N. Y.	60,956	56,747	4,209	7.42
	Wilmington, Del.	61,431	42,478	18,953	44.62

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Classification.	Cities in Group.	Population.		Increase.	
		1890.	1880.	Number.	Per Cent.
Class VIII.	Memphis, Tenn.	64,495	33,592	30,903	92.00
Cities 40,000 to 50,000	Dayton, O.	61,220	38,678	22,542	58.28
	Grand Rapids, Mich.	60,278	32,016	28,262	88.27
	Camden, N. J.	58,313	41,659	16,654	39.98
	Trenton, N. J.	57,458	29,910	27,548	92.10
	Lynn, Mass.	55,727	38,274	17,453	45.60
	Hartford, Conn.	53,230	42,015	11,215	26.69
	St. Joseph, Mo.	52,324	32,431	19,893	61.34
	Evansville, Ind.	50,756	29,280	21,476	73.35
	Oakland, Cal.	48,682	34,555	14,127	40.88
	Lawrence, Mass.	44,654	39,151	5,503	14.06
Class IX.					
Cities 30,000 to 40,000	Bridgeport, Conn.	48,866	27,643	21,223	76.78
	Covington, Ky.	37,371	29,720	7,651	25.74
	Des Moines, Ia.	50,093	22,408	27,685	123.55
	Elizabeth, N. J.	37,764	28,229	9,535	33.78
	Erie, Penn.	40,634	27,737	12,897	46.50
	Ft. Wayne, Ind.	35,393	26,880	8,513	31.67
	Harrisburg, Penn.	39,385	30,762	8,623	28.03
	Hoboken, N. J.	43,648	30,999	12,649	40.80
	Lincoln, Neb.	55,154	13,003	42,151	324.16
	Los Angeles, Cal.	50,395	11,183	39,212	350.64
	Manchester, N. H.	44,126	32,630	11,496	35.23
	Mobile, Ala.	31,076	29,132	1,944	6.67
	New Bedford, Mass.	40,733	26,845	13,888	51.73
	Peoria, Ill.	41,024	29,259	11,765	40.21
	Portland, Me.	36,425	33,810	2,615	7.73
	Portland, Ore.	46,385	17,577	28,808	163.90
	Salt Lake, Utah.	44,843	20,768	24,075	115.92
	Savannah, Ga.	43,189	30,709	12,480	40.64
	Somerville, Mass.	40,152	24,933	15,219	61.04
	Springfield, Mass.	44,179	33,340	10,839	32.51
	Utica, N. Y.	44,007	33,914	10,093	29.76
	Wheeling, W. Va.	34,522	30,737	3,785	12.31
	Wilkesbarre, Penn.	37,718	23,339	14,379	61.61
Class X.					
Cities 25,000 to 30,000	Altoona, Penn.	30,337	19,710	10,627	53.92
	Augusta, Ga.	33,300	21,891	11,409	52.12
	Binghampton, N. Y.	35,005	17,317	17.688	102.14
	Dubuque, Ia.	30,311	22,254	8,057	36.20
	Elmira, N. Y.	30,893	20,541	10,352	50.40
	Galveston, Tex.	29,084	22,248	6,836	30.73
	Holyoke, Mass.	35,637	21,915	13,722	62.61
	Lancaster, Penn.	32,011	25,769	6,242	24.22
	Norfolk, Va.	34,871	21,966	12,905	58.75
	Quincy, Ill.	31,494	27,268	4,226	15.50
	Saginaw, Mich.	46,322	10,525	35,797	340.11
	Salem, Mass.	30,801	27,563	3,238	11.75
	San Antonio, Tex.	37,673	20,550	17,123	83.32
	Springfield, O.	31,895	20,730	11,165	53.86
	Terra Haute, Ind.	30,217	26,042	4,175	16.03
	Yonkers, N. Y.	32,033	18,892	13,141	69.56

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Classification.	Cities in Group.	Population.		Increase.	
		1890.	1880.	Number.	Per Cent.
Class XI.	Akron, O.	27,601	16,512	11,089	67.16
Cities 20,000 to 25,000	Allentown, Penn.	25,228	18,063	7,165	39.67
	Auburn, N. Y.	25,858	21,924	3,934	17.94
	Bay City, Mich.	27,839	20,693	7,146	34.53
	Brockton, Mass.	27,294	13,608	13,686	100.57
	Burlington, Ia.	22,565	19,450	3.115	16.02
	Chattanooga, Tenn.	29,100	12,892	16,208	125.72
	Chelsea, Mass.	27,909	21,782	6,127	28.13
	Cohoes, N. Y.	22,509	19,416	3,093	15.93
	Dallas, Tex.	38,067	10,358	27,709	267.51
	Davenport, Ia.	26,872	21,831	5,041	23.09
	Gloucester, Mass.	24,651	19,329	5,322	27.53
	Haverhill, Mass.	27,412	18,472	8,940	48.40
	Houston, Tex.	27,557	16,513	11,044	66.88
	Kansas City, Kan.	38,316	3,200	35,116	1097.38
	Lewiston, Me.	21,701	19,083	2,618	13.72
	Long Island City, N. Y.	30,506	17,129	13,377	78.10
	Newburg, N. Y.	23,087	18,049	5,038	27.91
	Newport, Ky.	24,918	20,433	4,485	21.95
	Newton, Mass.	24,379	16,995	7,384	43.45
	Oswego, N. Y.	21,842	21,116	726	3.44
	Pawtucket, R. I.	27,633	19,030	8,603	45.21
	Petersburg, Va.	22,680	21,656	1,024	4.73
	Poughkeepsie, N. Y.	22,206	20,207	1,999	9.89
	Sacramento, Cal.	26,386	21,420	4,966	23.18
	Seattle, Wash.	42,837	3,533	39,304	1112.48
	Sioux City, Ia.	37,806	7,366	30,440	413.25
	Springfield, Ill.	24,963	19,743	5,220	26.44
	Taunton, Mass.	25,448	21,213	4,235	19.96
	Topeka, Kan.	31,007	15,452	15,555	100.67
	Waterbury, Conn.	28,646	17,806	10,840	60.88
	Williamsport, Penn.	27,132	18,934	8,198	43.30
	Youngstown, O.	33,220	15,435	17,785	115.23
Class XII.					
Cities 17,000 to 20,000	Bangor, Me.	19,103	16,856	2,247	13.33
	Bloomington, Ill.	20,484	17,180	3,304	19.23
	Canton, O.	26,189	12,258	13,931	113.65
	Chester, Penn.	20,226	14,997	5,229	34.87
	Council Bluffs, Ia.	21,474	18,063	3,411	18.88
	Fitchburg, Mass.	22,037	12,429	9,608	77.30
	Jackson, Mich.	20,798	16,105	4,693	29.14
	Joliet, Ill.	23,264	11,657	11,607	99.57
	Kingston, N. Y.	21,261	18.344	2,917	15.90
	Lacrosse, Wis.	25,090	14,505	10,585	72.97
	Leavenworth, Kan.	19,768	16,546	3,222	19.47
	Lexington, Ky.	21,567	16,656	4,911	29.48
	Little Rock, Ark.	25,874	13,138	12,736	96.94
	Lincoln, R. I.	20,355	13,765	6,590	47.88
	Lynchburg, Va.	19,709	15,959	3,750	23.50

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		1890.	1880.	Number.	Per Cent.
Class XII. Continued.	Macon, Ga.	22,746	12,749	9,997	78.41
	Malden, Mass.	23,031	12,017	11,014	91.65
	Meriden, Conn.	21,652	15,540	6,112	39.33
	Montgomery, Ala.	21,883	16,713	5,170	30.93
	New Albany, Ind.	21,059	16,423	4,636	28.23
	New Brunswick, N. J.	18,603	17,166	1,437	8.37
	Newport, R. I.	19,457	15,693	3,764	23.99
	Oshkosh, Wis.	22,836	15,748	7,088	45.01
	Racine, Wis.	21,014	16,031	4,983	31.08
	Rockford, Ill.	23,584	13,129	10,455	79.63
	Sandusky, O.	18,471	15,838	2,633	16.62
	South Bend, Ind.	21,819	13,280	8,539	64.30
	Tacoma, Wash.	36,006	1,098	34,908	3179.23
	Wilmington, N. C.	20,056	17,350	2,706	15.60
	Woonsocket, R. I.	20.830	16,050	4,780	29.78
	York, Penn	20,793	13,940	6,853	49.16
	Zanesville, O.	21,009	18,113	2,896	15.99
Class XIII. Cities 14,000 to 17,000	Atchison, Kan.	13,963	15,105	*a* 1,142	*a* 7.56
	Aurora, Ill.	19,688	11,873	7,815	65.82
	Bayonne, N. J.	19,033	9,372	9,661	103.08
	Birmingham, Ala.	26,178	3,086	23,092	748.28
	Cedar Rapids, Ia.	18,020	10,104	7,916	78.35
	Concord, N. H.	17,004	13,843	3,161	22.83
	Duluth, Minn.	33,115	838	32,277	3851.67
	Fort Worth, Tex.	23,076	6,663	16,413	246.33
	Hamilton, O.	17,565	12,122	5,443	44.90
	Johnstown, Penn.	21,805	8,380	13,425	160.20
	Kalamazoo, Mich.	17,853	11,937	5,916	49.56
	Knoxville, Tenn.	22,535	9,693	12,842	132.49
	Lafayette, Ind.	16,243	14,860	1,383	9.31
	Lockport, N. Y.	16,038	13,522	2,516	18.61
	McKeesport, Penn.	20,741	8,212	12,529	152.57
	Muskegon, Mich.	22.702	11,262	11,440	101.58
	Nashua, N. H.	19,311	13,397	5,914	44.14
	New Brighton, N. J.	16,423	12,679	3,744	29.53
	New Britain, Conn.	16,519	11,800	4,719	39.99
	Norristown, Penn.	19,791	13,063	6,728	51.50
	Norwalk, Conn.	17,747	13,956	3,791	27.16
	Norwich, Conn.	16,156	15,112	1,044	6.91
	Orange, N. J.	18,844	13,207	5,637	42.68
	Pittsfield, Mass.	17,281	13,364	3,917	29.31
	Richmond, Ind.	16,608	12,742	3,866	30.34
	San Jose, Cal.	18,060	12,567	5,493	43.71
	Schenectady, N. Y.	19,902	13,655	6,247	45.75
	Springfield, Mo.	21,850	6,522	15,328	235.02
	Waltham, Mass.	18,707	11,712	6,995	59.73
	Warwick, R. I.	17,761	12,164	5,597	46.01
	Wichita, Kan.	23,853	4,911	18,942	385.71
	Winona, Minn.	18,208	10,208	8,000	78.37

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		1890.	1880.	Number.	Per Cent.
Class XIV.	Alexandria, Va.	14,339	13,659	680	4.98
Cities 13,000 to 14,000	Amsterdam, N. Y.	17,336	9,466	7,870	83.14
	Belleville, Ill.	15,361	10,683	4,678	43.79
	Biddeford, Me.	14,443	12,651	1,792	14.16
	Columbus, Ga.	17,303	10,123	7,180	70.93
	Decatur, Ill	16,841	9,547	7,294	76.40
	Easton, Penn.	14,481	11,924	2,557	21.44
	Eau Claire, Wis.	17,415	10,119	7,296	72.10
	Elgin, Ill.	17,823	8,787	9,036	102.83
	Galesburg, Ill.	15,264	11,437	3,827	33.46
	Keokuk, Ia.	14,101	12,117	1,984	16.37
	Key West, Fla.	18,080	9,890	8,190	82.81
	Newburyport, Mass.	13,947	13,538	409	3.02
	North Adams, Mass.	16,074	10,191	5,883	57.73
	Northampton, Mass.	14,990	12,172	2,818	23 15
	Pottsville, Penn.	14,117	13,253	864	6.52
	Pueblo, Cal.	24,558	3,217	21,341	663.38
	Quincy, Mass.	16,723	10,570	6,153	58.21
	Rome, N. Y.	14,991	12,194	2,797	22.94
	Shenandoah, Penn.	15,944	10,147	5,797	57.13
	Stamford, Conn.	15,700	11,297	4,403	38.97
Class XV.					
Cities 12,000 to 13,000	Austin, Tex.	14,575	11,013	3,562	32.34
	Burlington, Vt.	14,590	11,365	3,225	28.38
	Chicopee, Mass.	14,050	11,286	2,764	24.49
	Columbia, S. C.	15,353	10,036	5,317	52.98
	Dover, N. H.	12,790	11,687	1,103	9.44
	East St. Louis, Ill.	15,169	9,185	5,984	65.15
	Fond du Lac, Wis.	12,024	13,094	*a* 1,070	*a* 8.17
	Jacksonville, Fla.	17,201	7,650	9,551	124.85
	Jamestown, N. Y.	16,038	9,357	6,681	71.40
	Leadville, Col.	10,384	14,820	*a* 4,436	*a* 29.93
	Logansport, Ind.	13,328	11,198	2,130	19.02
	New London, Conn.	13,757	10,537	3,220	30.56
	Portsmouth, Va.	13,268	11,390	1,878	16.49
	Rock Island, Ill.	13,634	11,659	1,975	16.94
	Steubenville, O.	13,394	12,093	1,301	10.76
	Stockton, Cal.	14,424	10,282	4,142	40.28
	Vicksburg, Miss.	13,373	11,814	1,559	13.20
	Watertown, N. Y.	14,725	10,697	4,028	37.66
	Woburn, Mass.	13,499	10,931	2,568	23.49
XVI.					
Cities 11,000 to 12,000	Chillicothe, O.	11,288	10,938	350	3.20
	Clinton, Ia.	13,619	9,052	4,567	50.45
	Cumberland, Md.	12,729	10,693	2,036	19.04
	Edgewater, N. Y.	14,265	8,044	6,221	77.34
	Findlay, O.	18,553	4,633	13,920	300.45
	Hannibal, Mo.	12,857	11,074	1,783	16.10
	Jacksonville, Ill.	12,935	10,927	2,008	18.38
	Lebanon, Penn.	14,664	8,778	5,886	67.05

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Classification.	Cities in Group.	Population.		Increase.	
		1890.	1880.	Number.	Per Cent.
Class XVI. Continued.	Lima, O.	15,981	7,567	8,414	111.19
	Madison, Wis.	13,426	10,324	3,102	30.05
	Mansfield, O.	13,473	9,859	3,614	36.66
	Marlboro, Mass	13,805	10,127	3,678	36.32
	Newark, O.	14,270	9,600	4,670	48.65
	Ogdensburg, N. Y.	11,662	10,341	1,321	12.77
	Ottumwa, Ia.	14,001	9,004	4,997	55.50
	Port Huron, Mich.	13,543	8,883	4,660	52.46
	Portsmouth, O.	12,394	11,321	1,073	9.48
	Rutland, Vt.	11,760	12,149	*a* 389	*a* 3.20
	Sedalia, Mo.	14,068	9,561	4,507	47.14
	Shamokin, Penn.	14,403	8,184	6,219	75.99
	Sheboygan, Wis.	16,359	7,314	9,045	123.67
Class XVII. Cities 10,000 to 11,000	Auburn, Me.	11,250	9,555	1,695	17,74
	Battle Creek, Mich.	13,197	7,063	6,134	86.85
	Bridgeton, N. J.	11,424	8,722	2,702	30.98
	Brookline, Mass.	12,103	8,057	4,046	50.22
	Gloversville, N. Y.	13,864	7,133	6,731	94.36
	Ithaca, N. Y.	11,079	9,105	1,974	21.68
	Lansing, Mich.	13,102	8,319	4,783	57.49
	Manistee, Mich.	12,812	6,930	5,882	84.88
	Middletown, N. Y.	11,977	8,494	3,483	41.01
	New Castle, Penn.	11,600	8,418	3,182	37.80
	Ogden, Utah.	14,889	6,069	8,820	145.33
	Paducah, Ky.	12,797	8,036	4,761	59.25
	Raleigh, N. C.	12,678	9,265	3,413	36.84
	Saratoga Springs, N. Y.	11,975	8,421	3,554	42.20
	Spokane, Wash.	19,922	350	19,572	5592.00
	Stillwater, Minn.	11,260	9,055	2,205	24.35
	Waco, Tex.	14,445	7,295	7,150	98.01
	West Troy, N. Y.	12,967	8,820	4,147	47.02
	Weymouth, Mass.	10,866	10,570	296	2.80
Class XVIII. Cities 9,000 to 10,000	Alpena, Mich.	11,283	6,153	5,130	83.37
	Alton, Ill.	10,294	8,975	1,319	14.70
	Appleton, Wis.	11,869	8,005	3,864	48.27
	Atlantic City, N. J.	13,055	5,477	7,578	138.36
	Augusta, Me.	10,527	8,665	1,862	21.49
	Beverly, Mass.	10,821	8,456	2,365	27.97
	Bradford, Penn.	10,514	9,197	1,317	14.32
	Cairo, Ill.	10,324	9,011	1,313	14.57
	Carbondale, Penn.	10,833	7,714	3,119	40.43
	Charlotte, N. C.	11,557	7,094	4,463	62.91
	Clinton, Mass.	10,424	8,029	2,395	29.83
	Columbia, Penn.	10,599	8,312	2,287	27.51
	Danville, Ill	11,491	7,733	3,758	48.60
	Elkhart, Ind.	11,360	6,953	4,407	63.38
	Flint, Mich.	9,803	8,409	1,394	16.58
	Freeport, Ill.	10,189	8,516	1,673	19.65

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GROWTH OF CITIES.—*Continued.*

Classification.	Cities in Group.	Population.		Increase.	
		1890.	1880.	Number.	Per Cent.
Class XVIII. Continued.	Greenwich, Conn.	10,131	7,892	2,239	28.37
	Hazelton, Penn.	11,872	6,935	4,937	71.19
	Hornellsville, N. Y.	10,996	8,195	2,801	34.18
	Hudson, N. Y.	9,970	8,670	1,300	14.99
	Ironton, O.	10,939	8,857	2,082	23.51
	Janesville, Wis.	10,836	9,018	1,818	20.16
	Jeffersonville, Ind.	10,666	9,357	1,309	13.99
	Lawrence, Kan.	9,997	8,510	1,487	17.47
	Mahanoy, Penn.	11,286	7,181	4,105	57.16
	Meadville, Penn.	9,520	8,860	660	7.45
	Medford, Mass.	11,079	7,573	3,506	46.30
	Michigan City, Ind.	10,776	7,366	3,410	46.29
	Milford, Mass.	8,780	9,310	*a* 530	*a* 5.69
	Moline, Ill.	12,000	7,800	4,200	53.85
	Muskatine, Ia.	11,454	8,295	3,159	38.08
	Oil City, Penn.	10,932	7,315	3,617	49.45
	Passaic, N. J.	13,028	6,532	6,496	99.45
	Peabody, Mass.	10,158	9,028	1,130	12.52
	Pensacola, Fla.	11,750	6,845	4,905	71.66
	Plainfield, N. J.	11,267	8,125	3,142	38.67
	Port Jervis, N. Y.	9,327	8,678	649	7.48
	Portsmouth, N. H.	9,827	9,690	137	1.41
	Pottstown, Penn.	13,285	5,305	7,980	150.42
	San Diego, Cal.	16,159	2,637	13,522	512.78
	Shreveport, La.	11,979	8,009	3,970	49.57
	Tiffin, O.	10,801	7,879	2,922	37.09
	Virginia City, Nev.	8,511	10,917	*a* 2,406	*a* 22.04
	West Bay City, Mich.	12,981	6,397	6,584	102.92
Class XIX. Cities 8,000 to 9,000	Adrian, Mich.	8,756	7,849	907	11.56
	Alameda, Cal.	11,165	5,708	5,457	95.60
	Ann Arbor, Mich.	9,431	8,061	1,370	17.00
	Bath, Me.	8,723	7,874	849	10.78
	Baton Rouge, La.	10,478	7,197	3,281	45.59
	Beatrice, Neb.	13,836	2,447	11,389	465.43
	Bellaire, O.	9,934	8,025	1,909	23.79
	Danville, Va.	10,305	7,526	2,779	36.93
	Dunkirk, N. Y.	9,416	7,248	2,168	29.91
	East Liverpool, O.	10,956	5,568	5,388	96.77
	Fort Scott, Kan.	11,946	5,372	6,574	122.38
	Frederick, Md.	8,193	8,659	*a* 466	*a* 5.38
	Green Bay, Wis.	9,069	7,464	1,605	21.50
	Hagerstown, Md.	10,118	6,627	3,491	52.68
	Hastings, Neb.	13,584	2,817	10,767	382.22
	Helena, Mont.	13,834	3,624	10,210	281.73
	Hyde Park, Mass.	10,193	7,088	3,105	43.81
	Ishpeming, Mich.	11,197	6,039	5,158	85.41
	Joplin, Mo.	9,943	7,038	2,905	41.28
	Lansingburg, N. Y.	10,550	7,432	3,118	41.95

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Classification.	Cities in Group.	Population.		Increase.	
		1890.	1880.	Number.	Per Cent.
Class XIX. Continued.	La Salle, Ill	9,855	7,847	2,008	25.59
	Madison, Ind	8,936	8,945	*a* 9	*a* 0.10
	Massillon, O	10,092	6,836	3,256	47.63
	Millville, N. J	10,002	7,660	2,342	30.57
	Muncie, Ind	11,345	5,219	6,126	117.38
	Natchez, Miss	10,101	7,058	3,043	43.11
	Natick, Mass	9,118	8,479	639	7.54
	Ottawa, Ill	9,985	7,834	2,151	27.46
	Owensboro, Ky	9,837	6,231	3,606	57.87
	Peekskill, N. Y	9,676	6,893	2,783	40.37
	Pittston, Penn	10,302	7,472	2,830	37.87
	Roanoke, Va	16,159	669	15,490	2315.40
	Spencer, Mass	8,747	7,466	1,281	17.16
	Streator, Ill	11,414	5,157	6,257	121.33
	Titusville, Pa	8,073	9,046	*a* 973	*a* 10.76
	Union, N. J	10,643	5,849	4,794	81.96
	Vincennes, Ind	8,853	7,680	1,173	15.27
	Watertown, Wis	8,755	7,883	872	11.06
	Westfield, Mass	9,805	7,587	2,218	29.23

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